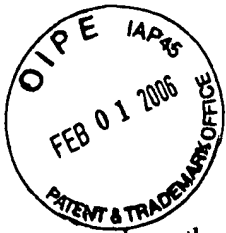


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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the telephone interview held between the undersigned and the Examiner on January 20, 2006, and is responsive to the final Office Action mailed December 1, 2005. This paper is being filed during the shortened statutory period set for responding to the Office Action, which expires on March 1, 2006, and no fees are believed to be due in connection with this paper. However, if any such fees are due, please charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Amendments to the Specification are shown beginning on page 2 of this paper.

No Amendments to the Claims are made herein, but for the Examiner's convenience, the enclosed Listing of Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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